

The "do not call" restriction of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act, is the safety and restraining needed in New Jersey. This act curtails many unsolicited callers but certainly not all, who want to telemarket. Some continue to call at dinner time, even breakfast time, and other inappropriate and certainly inconvenient times. Most of the telemarketers say they are doing a survey or some such statement to get past the statement to connote they are not telemarketers. None the less they are. To be sure, I am more confident now, that far fewer calls come into our home, by having registered on the "Do not call" list, than had we not. It seems the numbers of calls are slowly increasing recently. It is as if Telemarketing companies are testing the boundaries of the "DO Not Call" list of registrants. The law to protect consumers needs to be further enforced. Invasion of privacy takes many twists and turns, and telemarketing is certainly one of the greater nuisances as well as unwanted intrusions. The "Do not call" listing is the best consumer Telephone protection law to restore the privacy of our home and of our choice to speak or not, to strangers who solicit by coming to our door via the phone. Telemarketers are traveling sales people, without the minatures of the products for sale, and more importantly without the guarantee they are who they say they are or represent. "Do NOT CALL" is the best sense of safety we have. Please keep our sense of safety and security on the telephone, in our homes, with this "Do not Call" known as the Telephone Consumer Protection Act.